

The Social World

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'Royal' Event 77-Year-Young Lady Does Most Stitching For Tuesday Bazaar

Flying fingers of Mrs. Della Moon, 77 years young, which have been busy since February crocheting and embroidering articles for the Royal Neighbors bazaar, are still now.

Everything is in readiness for the event, which will open at 12 noon next Tuesday, Sept. 15, at the Woman's Clubhouse, 1422 Engracia Ave.

Packed carefully away in boxes ready to be moved to the bazaar site are everything from afghans and wool-lined quilts to tiny ascot ties and story-book dolls dressed from tip to toe in crochet, with a host of other items in between.

Most of the work is Mrs. Moon's own. Chosen chairman of the bazaar by the Royal Neighbors Sewing Club last February, she has spent every spare moment with a crochet or embroidery needle in hand, turning out fancy work which is the envy of every other needlewoman in the club.

From time to time other members have assisted her in creating the fine pieces, an added touch of grace to any home, but mainly the bazaar and all its works is her baby.

There are gay dish towels to brighten up the kitchen; dainty pillowcases; frilly dollies, satin-stitched table centerpieces; elegant cut-work table cloths; hand towels in varying patterns; and she has created herself; and over 30 aprons made in many styles and colors.

In between stitching, Mrs. Moon has kept up her active schedule of attending card parties, for a good hand of cards, pinocle, or bridge is her best love, next to needlework. She drives her own car to these and to the homes of her



WHIPPING THINGS IN SHAPE . . . Mesdames Laurence Derouin, right, and R. M. Rogers put the finishing touches on tickets to the annual luncheon, card party, and fashion show to be sponsored by Court St. Catherine, Catholic Daughters of America, Wednesday, Sept. 23, in the spacious garden of Mrs. Laura Felker's home at 1010 Beech Ave. Ducats will be distributed to club members tomorrow night when they meet at the parish hall and will be on sale to the general public the following day.

JAY DELANYS HOST EASTERN VISITORS

Side trips to Catalina Island and Knotts Berry Farm highlighted the vacation agenda for guests of Jay H. DeLany, head of the classified advertising department at the Herald, and his wife during the past two weeks. Visiting the DeLanys and their children, Mickey and Rickey, were his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Walker and children, Janet, Barry, and Susan of Trenton, N. J.

For Philanthropy Las Vecinas Are Selling Breakfast Tickets Now

Tickets now are on sale for the second annual Benefit Breakfast, to be held by Las Vecinas Woman's Club Sept. 23 at El Retiro Park in Hollywood Riviera.

The ducats, at 50 cents for adults and 35 cents for children, may be obtained from any member of the club or by calling Mrs. O. C. Lundstrom, ticket chairman, at FRontier 5-4344.

Money received from ticket sales will be divided among the club's many philanthropic projects, including contribution of funds and equipment to the children's ward at Harbor General Hospital and the financing of Girl Scout activities in the area.

"All You Can Eat" will be the slogan again this year, with pancakes, sausage, tomato or grapefruit juice, toast, jam, coffee, and milk being offered at the breakfast table from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Committee workers, headed by Mrs. Clayton Geiger, are planning to feed a crowd topping last year's hungry 1000.

Juniors Feted At Luncheon; Sunday Breakfast Is Planned

Fourteen women attended their first social gathering as members of the Junior Woman's Club yesterday when Mrs. J. A. Barrington, president, opened her home at 2388 Torrance Blvd. for a luncheon in their honor.

Sharing hostess honors with Mrs. Barrington for the all-club event was Mrs. George Stevens, second vice-president.

Neophytes joining the membership were Mesdames J. P. Bay, Sid Gans, Thomas Denmin, E. L. Greenwood, R. M. Heath, Frank Kelly, K. M. Miller, J. V. McVey, D. G. Paul, Barton A. Tatum, H. W. Sommer, T. H. Weir, J. M. Weir, and Dick Rojo.

The newcomers will again be feted next Sunday morning at a 9:30 a.m. breakfast, to be held at the home of the president's mother-in-law, Mrs. H. C. Barrington, 1541 Post Ave. Mrs. Stevens also will share hostess honors at this social event.

Plans for both festive occasions were told club members last Wednesday night when Mrs. Barrington conducted her first meeting at the Woman's Clubhouse, 1422 Engracia Ave. Heading the financial side of

Spaghetti Feed Adds to Child Welfare Fund

Money rolled into the El Nido PTA child welfare fund last Wednesday when the executive board hosted a pre-school spaghetti luncheon at the 18249 Ashley Ave. home of Mrs. Philo Mellor.

Held with dual objectives, financial and social, the luncheon afforded parents an opportunity to meet those who will teach their children this term. Representatives from Seaside, Perry, and Torrance Council PTA's joined the El Nido group to wish them success in the new project.

"We hope to make the luncheon an annual affair," Mrs. Mellor, president, said. She was assisted in serving the food by Mesdames V. Mazzo, E. Killian, and W. A. Wright.

Coronado Is. Weekend Spot for C. P. Dillehays

Spending the long Labor weekend at Coronado Is. were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde P. Dillehay and children, Sherry and Dickie, 1220 Teri Ave. While on the island they were guests of a retired U.S. Marine Corps Major, Floyd Moore, and his wife,



SPAGHETTI, DEAR? . . . That's the question Mrs. Bruce Magner (center) asks her hubby, Torrance High School principal, as she assists the PTA executive board in serving a luncheon to PHS teachers and administrators. Mrs. Dale Harter, at left, also serves her husband, vice-principal at the school, with a plate of the steaming food, while Mrs. I. O. Kaster, PTA president, pours a cup of coffee for Dr. J. H. Hull, superintendent of Torrance City Schools. Event was held last Wednesday at the school cafeteria. Lavender, pale yellow, and salmon tinged dahlias highlighted table decor.

Council PTA Calls for District Split-up; Slates Six-Lecture Series on Health

Nutrition Talks 'Too Many Members,' Board Says in Voting for Division

Begin Oct. 5

In line with the emphasis on health in Torrance schools this year, Torrance Council PTA will sponsor a six-lecture series by Adele Davis, nationally-known nutritionist. Mrs. H. E. Carr, president, revealed this week.

Offered in co-operation with the Torrance Adult School and open to the public, the lectures are scheduled to begin on Oct. 5, she told executive board members last Tuesday when they met at the Board of Education office.

Another major portion of the business hour was a discussion led by Dr. J. H. Hull, school superintendent, on the school building program.

Board accepted the year's budget, prepared by Mrs. C. S. Connors and her committee, and heard reports from Mesdames Lee Pollock, radio and television; A. C. Turner, magazine; Ralph Eyeston, student welfare; Victor Benard, parliamentarian; and J. L. Hinds, publicity.

VACATION IN MEXICO
Recent vacationers in Mexico City were Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Kuhn, 2463 Torrance Blvd. The local duo also visited Acapulco and Cuernavaca.

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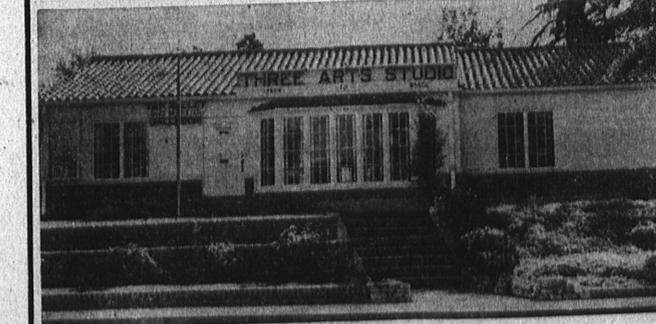
Any bride-to-be may register without any obligation for a number during the week of Sept. 13th to 26th at the new studio, of the Elite Caterettes, at 7425 Crenshaw Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif. The drawing will be held on Sept. 27th, 1953, at 8 p.m. at the same address. The winner need not be present at the drawing.

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